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**REQUEST FOR AN EXTENSION  
OF TIME TO FILE APPLICANT'S APPEAL BRIEF**

Pursuant to TBMP § 1203.02, and for good cause shown, Applicant respectfully requests that the Trademark Trial and Appeal Board extend its time to file an appeal brief for thirty (30) days, up to and including **January 17, 2008**.


This request is not filed for purposes of delay. Rather, Counsel for Applicant has continued to contact Royal Host Corp. ("Registrant"), owner of the cited U.S. Registration No. 2528862 for the mark ROYAL HOST, regarding a possible consent agreement. Counsel for Applicant contacted Registrant as recently as December 14, 2007, to discuss the consent and other issues. Thus, Applicant needs time to follow-up with Registrant, and to finalize consent negotiations.

For the foregoing reasons, Applicant respectfully submits that good cause has been shown and that the extension should be granted.

Respectfully submitted,

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